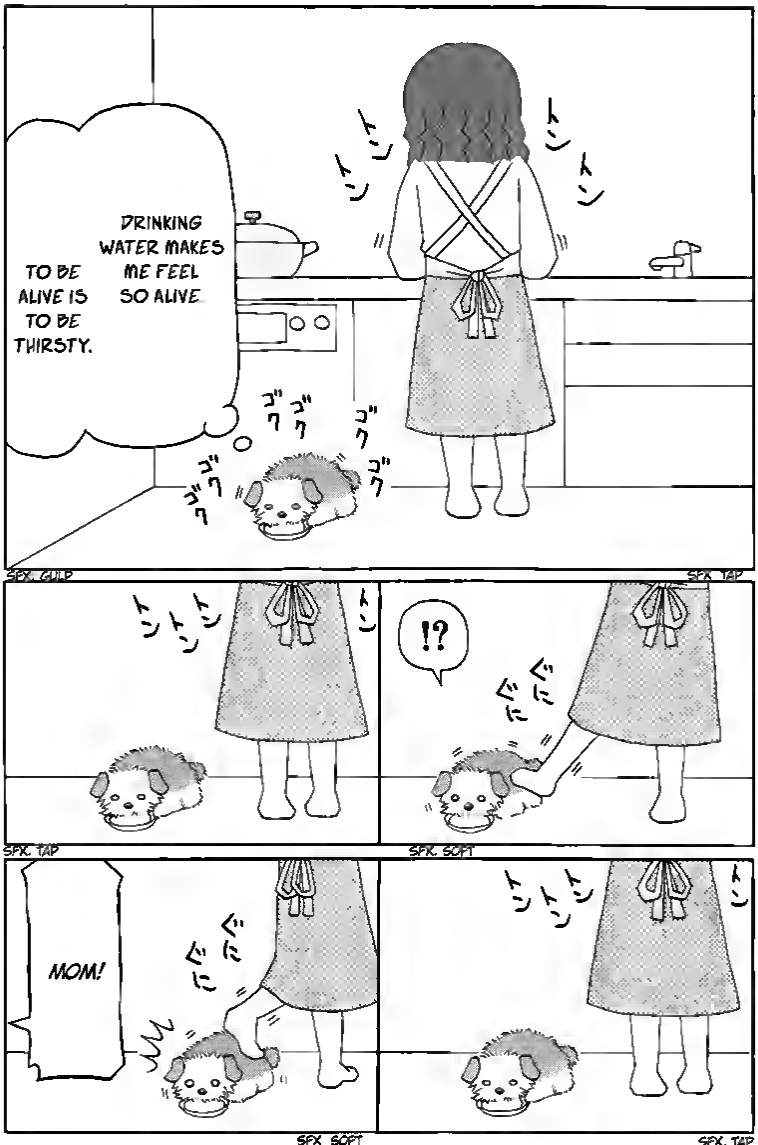
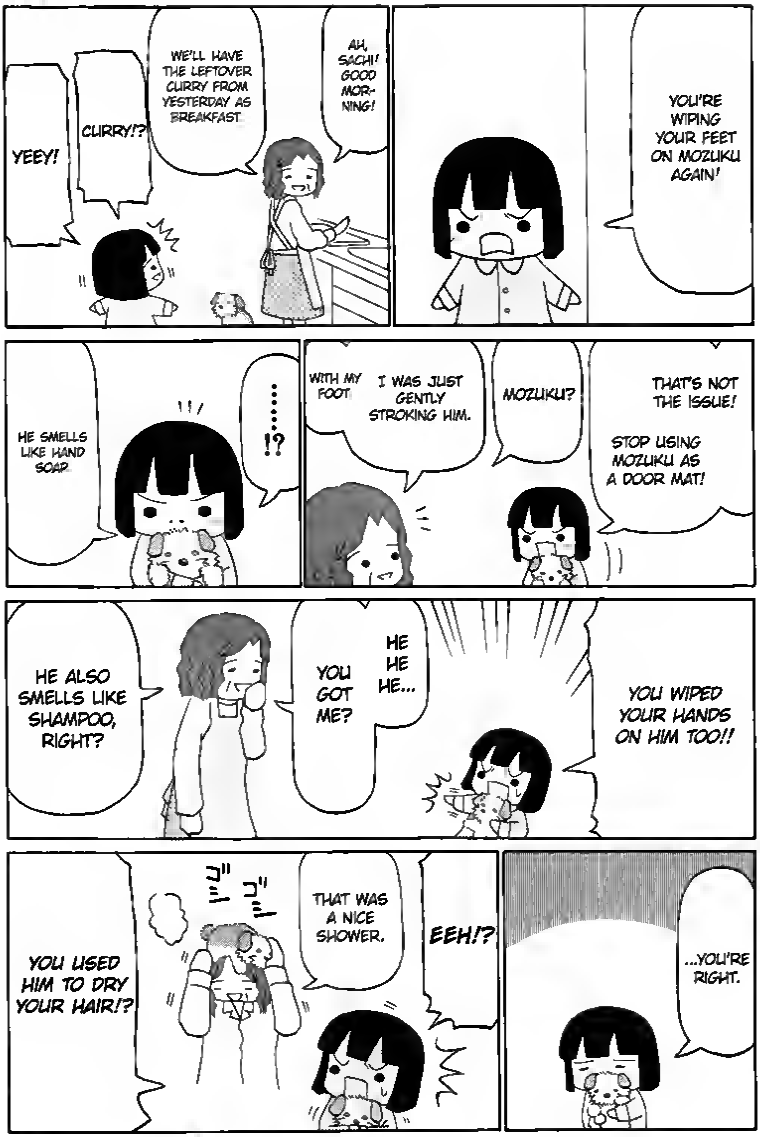
CHAPTER 3 [MOTHER]




YEEY!
CURRY!?
WE'LL HAVE THE LEFTOVER CURRY FROM YESTERDAY AS BREAKFAST.
AH, SACHI! GOOD MORNING!
YOU'RE WIPING YOUR FEET ON MOZUKU AGAIN!
HE SMELLS LIKE HAND SOAP.
!!?
WITH MY FOOT!
I WAS JUST GENTLY STROKING HIM.
MOZUKU?
THAT'S NOT THE ISSUE!
STOP USING MOZUKU AS A DOOR MAT!
HE ALSO SMELLS LIKE SHAMPOO, RIGHT?
YOU GOT ME?
HE HE HE...
YOU WIPED YOUR HANDS ON HIM TOO!!
YOU USED HIM TO DRY YOUR HAIR!?
SFX. RUB / RUB
THAT WAS A NICE SHOWER.
EEH!?
...YOU'RE RIGHT.

BUT SACHI,
THINK ABOUT IT.
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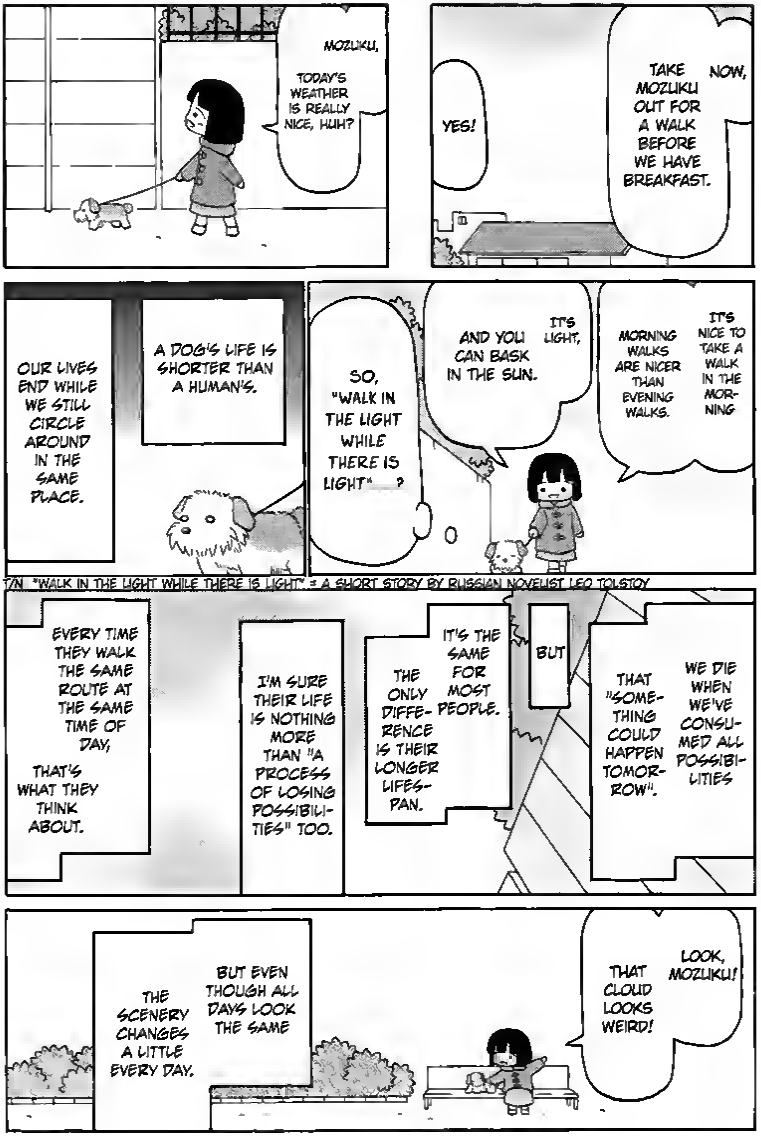
BECAUSE MOZUKU ISN'T A "MULTI-PURPOSE TOY"
THAT SCARED ME
I TRIED TO USE HIM AS A PILLOW.
OF COURSE NOT
THE SAME AS MY SMELL,
RIGHT?
NOW MOZUKU'S SMELL IS
SFX: SMILE
SHE MADE IT SOUND LIKE A "GOOD STORY"!!
!? ...SOMEHOW,


MOZUKU,
TODAY'S WEATHER IS REALLY NICE, HUH?
NOW, TAKE MOZUKU OUT FOR A WALK BEFORE WE HAVE BREAKFAST.
YES!
OUR LIVES END WHILE WE STILL CIRCLE AROUND IN THE SAME PLACE.
A DOG'S LIFE IS SHORTER THAN A HUMAN'S.
SO, "WALK IN THE LIGHT WHILE THERE IS LIGHT"...?
AND YOU CAN BASK IN THE SUN.
IT'S LIGHT,
MORNING WALKS ARE NICER THAN EVENING WALKS.
IT'S NICE TO TAKE A WALK IN THE MORNING
T/N "WALK IN THE LIGHT WHILE THERE IS LIGHT" = A SHORT STORY BY RUSSIAN NOVELIST LEO TOLSTOY
EVERY TIME THEY WALK THE SAME ROUTE AT THE SAME TIME OF DAY,
THAT'S WHAT THEY THINK ABOUT.
I'M SURE THEIR LIFE IS NOTHING MORE THAN "A PROCESS OF LOSING POSSIBILITIES" TOO.
THE ONLY DIFFERENCE IS THEIR LONGER LIFESPAN.
IT'S THE SAME FOR MOST PEOPLE.
BUT
THAT "SOMETHING COULD HAPPEN TOMORROW".
WE DIE WHEN WE'VE CONSUMED ALL POSSIBILITIES
THE SCENERY CHANGES A LITTLE EVERY DAY.
BUT EVEN THOUGH ALL DAYS LOOK THE SAME
LOOK, MOZUKU!
THAT CLOUD LOOKS WEIRD!

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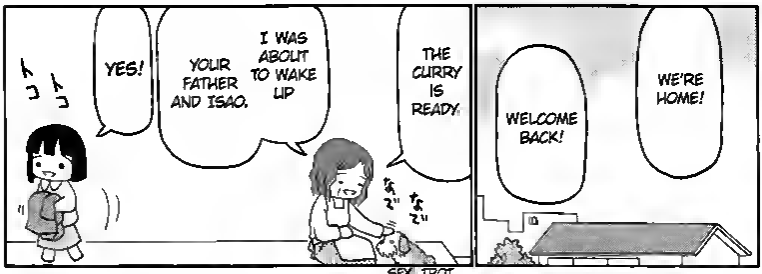

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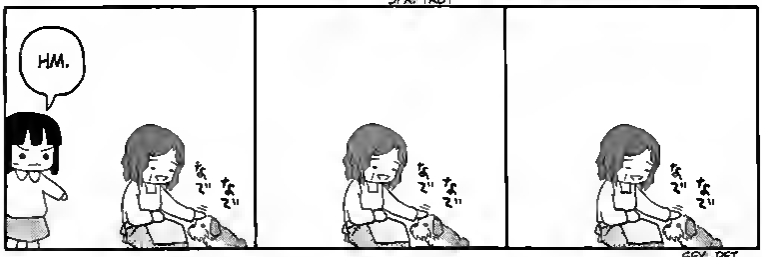
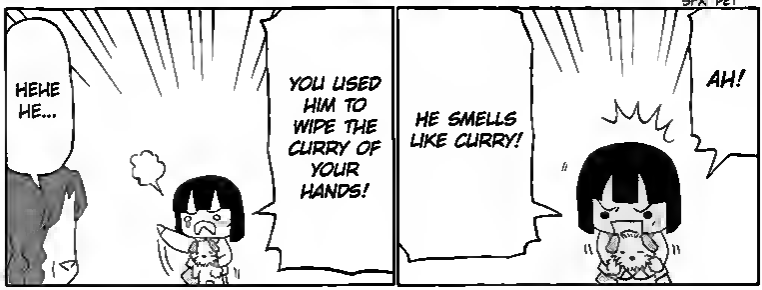
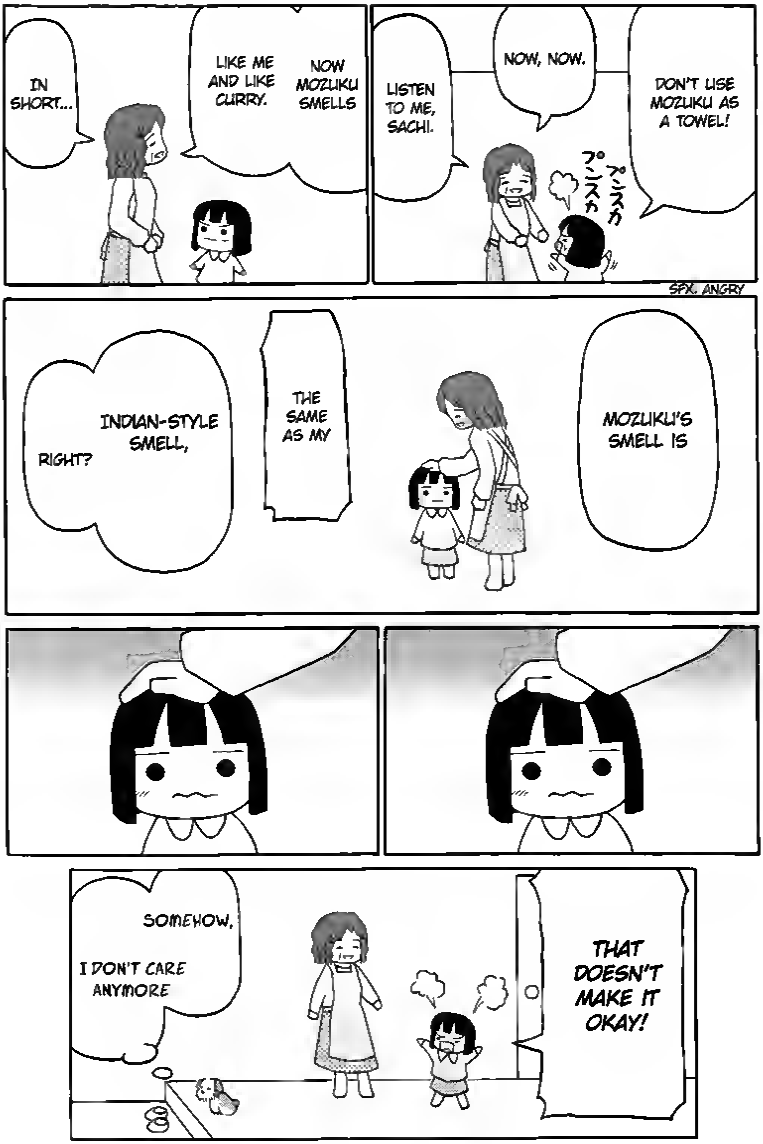


SFX PET




IN SHORT...
LIKE ME AND LIKE CURRY.
NOW MOZUKU SMELLS
LISTEN TO ME, SACHI.
NOW, NOW.
DON'T USE MOZUKU AS A TOWEL!
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SFX: ANGRY
INDIAN-STYLE SMELL, RIGHT?
THE SAME AS MY
MOZUKU'S SMELL IS
SOMEHOW, I DON'T CARE ANYMORE
THAT DOESN'T MAKE IT OKAY!